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SINCE PRESIDENT KOUNTCHE HAS NOW EXPRESSED PERSONAL INEREST BILATERAL TALKS (NIAMEY 2956), BELIEVE WE CAN EXPECT ANOTHER INITIATIVE FROM GON ON THIS MATTER IN NEAR FUTURE. BECAUSE OUR LACK OF RESPONSIVENESS THUS FAR TO REPEATED INITIATIVES FROM GON BEGINNING TO BE EMBARRASSING, STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT WE GIVE FOREIGN MINISTRY AN INDICATION THAT WE HAVE NOT LOST INTEREST AND SUGGEST SOME ACCEPTABLE DATES SOON. GON INTENTION IS TOL HOLD TALKS IN ZINDER AND THE SOONER THE BETTER. PLEASE ADVISE ASAP WHEN DELEGATION FROM WASHINGTON WILL BE PREPARED TO COME. VERY MUCH HOPE BILATERALS CAN BE ARRANGED FOR AUGUST OR EARLY SEPTEMBER. JAMES

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